

## Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Penobscot County, Maine

Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
<b>Fatality Counts</b>	Total Fatalities	22	24	18	13	17
	Alcohol-Related	5	5	3	4	5
	Single Vehicle	14	15	11	8	10
	Non-Junction	18	21	14	10	16
	Intersection	4	1	3	3	1
	Intersection-Related	0	2	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	6	7	10	5	5
	Pedestrians	2	4	1	1	1
	Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	1	0
	Large Truck Involved	3	2	2	4	3
	Roadway Departure	16	14	10	8	12
	Passenger Car Occupants	16	10	12	4	7
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	3	5	3	4	5
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	0	0	1	2
	<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	20	15	15	9	14
	Motorcycle Riders	0	4	2	1	0

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+) By Restraint Use, 2001

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2001	12	5	6	1

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+) By Helmet Use, 2001



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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001					
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State		
Total Fatalities	17	3	11.67	13		
Alcohol-Related	5	4	3.43	11		
Single Vehicle	10	3	6.87	11		
Non-Junction	16	3	10.99	11		
Intersection	1	7	0.69	10		
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0		
Speeding Involved	5	6	3.43	14		
Pedestrians	1	8	0.69	8		
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0		
Large Truck Involved	3	5	2.06	8		
Roadway Departure	12	3	8.24	12		
Passenger Car Occupants	7	7	4.81	14		
Light Truck/Van Occupants	5	4	3.43	11		
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	2	2	1.37	3		
<b>Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)</b>	14	4	9.61	14		
Motorcycle Riders	0	0	0	0		

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.